U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK TORM PTO 1390 (REV. 5-93) VO-734 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5) **DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)** CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 10/552,392 PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PCT/EP2004/001037 05 February 2004 07 April 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION RECIRCULATION COOLING SYSTEM APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Henno HINDER et al. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the 3. expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 5. a.  $\square$  is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b.  $\square$  has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c.  $\square$  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). (verified) 6. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. a.  $\square$  are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. D have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c.  $\square$  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. I have not been made and will not be made. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). (verified) 8. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (4 pages, executed, attached to a copy of the International Application) 9. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. (2 pages) An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. (3 pages total) ☐ A FIRST preliminary amendment. ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. A substitute specification. (attached to a red-ink marked-up version of the English language translation) ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 15. Other items or information: 16. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail (2 pages) Return Receipt Postcard

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/07/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/07/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/07/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/07/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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